

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:350
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RENOVATION OF RAILWAY STATIONS
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government are aware of the fact that the railway stations of Sekhpara, Lakhisarai, Kiul and other districts of Bihar are in deplorable conditions;
- (b) if so, whether any scheme has been made for renovation of these stations;
- (c) if so, the names of the Railway Stations which are likely to be renovated; and
- (d) the expenditure likely to be incurred thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS(SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

- (a) : No, Sir.
- (b) : Upgradation of passenger amenities is taken up by sanctioning works through Works, machinery and rolling stock program of Railway, which is presented to Parliament, every year.
- (c) : Danapur, Bhaglpur, Gaya, Nalanda, Mokama, Patna, Chhapra Jn., Motihari, Barauni Jn., Darbhanga, Sonpur, Muzzaffarpur Jn., Hajipur Jn., Samstipur, Siwan Jn., Katihar stations have been taken up for providing upgraded amenities under model station scheme in State of Bihar. Similar work of amenities are also being taken up at other stations in the State of Bihar.
- (d) : State of Bihar is served by three zonal Railways viz. Eastern, Northeastern, and North East Frontier. Funds are allocated zonal Railway wise which in turn are allocated division wise by Zonal Railways. State-wise figures of expenditure are not maintained.